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Enclosed is the new proposed figure 2. Figure 1 is included but has not been changed. Figure 3 has not been re-sent and is the same.

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Thanks,  
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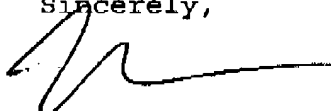
Re: Utility Patent Application  
Invention: 10/090,127

Dear Mr. Till,

Attached is a "new" IDS form for the application above,  
along with a correction section II.

Please do not hesitate to call if you have any questions or  
concerns.

Sincerely,



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## **II. DESCRIPTION OF THE PRIOR ART**

United States Patent No. 5,020,186, issued to Lessig, III, discloses a vacuum cleaner that has a power brush which projects dirt particles directly into a specially formed and located vacuum nozzle in such a manner that low air consumption can be used.

United States Patent No. 4,835,409, issued to Bhagwat et al., discloses a corded/cordless dual-mode power-operated device, such as a household vacuum cleaner, that can be operated from in corded mode or a cordless mode, depending on the power source.